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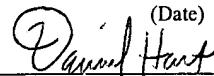
Case No. VANM160.001APC
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In re application of : Remacle
App. No. : 09/582,817
For : METHOD COMPRISING
CAPTURE MOLECULE FIXED
ON DISC SURFACE
Filed : November 8, 2000
Examiner : Bradley L. Sisson
Group Art Unit : 1634

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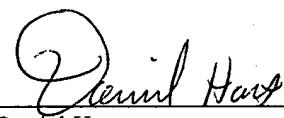
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